

107TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 5453

For the relief of the heirs and assigns of Hattie Davis Rogers of the Nez  
Perce Indian Reservation, Idaho.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 25, 2002

Mr. OTTER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee  
on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

For the relief of the heirs and assigns of Hattie Davis  
Rogers of the Nez Perce Indian Reservation, Idaho.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. PAYMENT.**

4       (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Treasury  
5       shall pay, out of any money in the United States Treasury  
6       that is not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$108,000  
7       to the heirs and assigns of Hattie Davis Rogers who hold  
8       a title interest in Lot 1, Block 8, in Tolyaulkt's Addition  
9       to the Town of Fort Lapwai.

1 (b) DISTRIBUTION OF PAYMENTS.—The money ap-  
2 propriated under subsection (a) shall be distributed to the  
3 heirs and assigns of Hattie Davis Rogers by the Northern  
4 Idaho Agency of the Bureau of Indian Affairs in accord-  
5 ance with the shares each of the heirs and assigns of Hat-  
6 tie Davis Rogers holds in Lot 1, Block 8, in Tolyaulkt's  
7 Addition to the Town of Fort Lapwai, Idaho.

8 **SEC. 2. SATISFACTION OF CLAIMS.**

9 Acceptance of the payments made under section 1 by  
10 the heirs and assigns of Hattie Davis Rogers shall con-  
11 stitute full satisfaction of all claims of the estate of Hattie  
12 Davis Rogers, her heirs and assigns, against the United  
13 States arising out of the loss of the use of Lot 1, Block  
14 8, in Tolyaulkt's Addition to the Town of Fort Lapwai,  
15 Idaho, that is located on the Nez Perce Indian Reservation  
16 in the State of Idaho and was the subject of Brooks  
17 against Nez Perce County, Idaho, et al., Civ. 2–72–27 (D.  
18 ID. 1983), as a result of the acts or omissions of the  
19 United States.

20 **SEC. 3. LIMITATION ON FEES.**

21 No more than 10 percent of the sums authorized to  
22 be paid under section 1 shall be paid to or received by  
23 any agent or attorney for services rendered in connection

- 1 with the recovery of such sums. Any person violating this
- 2 section shall be fined not more than \$1,000.

